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In re. Patent Application of Thierry-Palmer, et al.

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Title: METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING SALT-SENSITIVE PERSONS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2005. The claims, as indicated below, are cancelled and replacement claims provided:

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